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(NOTE: I wasn't able to send this through your website.)

The Lynn Canal highway should be completed from Juneau to Skagway as quickly as possible, preferably within the next five years. Any delays beyond that time will greatly increase, not only the cost of the road but it will drag out the exorbitant waste of money on the ferry system for that part of the ferry route. With a highway that route could easily and for very little money be serviced with a bus (hopefully privately owned) for those who don't have automobiles.

Building the road all the way to Skagway would eliminate the need for a ferry except for an inexpensive shuttle (again, hopefully, privately owned) to Haines.

I have a hard time trying to understand why some people can't understand how this highway will bring enormous savings in time and money, not only to the state, but to travelers as well.

Sincerely,

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